

rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Chairman Hunter and Representatives Cunningham, Ehlers, Manzullo, English, Wamp, Whitfield, Goode, Shimkus, Flake, Capito, Johnson of Illinois, Kennedy of Minnesota, Beauprez, Skelton, Spratt, Meehan, Loretta Sanchez, Tauscher, Davis of California, Langevin, Cooper, Meek of Florida, Markey, Dicks, Lantos, Cardin, Slaughter, Price of North Carolina, Waters, Bishop of Georgia, Hastings of Florida, Maloney, Woolsey, Blumenauer, Harman, Strickland, Inslee, Lee, Tierney, Schakowsky, Udall of Colorado, Matheson and Schiff.

## OVERSIGHT—VETERANS HOMELESS ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* Held an oversight hearing on homeless assistance programs for veterans. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Veterans Affairs: Gordon H. Mansfield, Deputy Secretary; and John Kuhn, Homeless Program Coordinator, New Jersey Health Care System; Patricia Carlile, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Special Needs Programs, Department of Housing and Urban Development; Don Winstead, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Planning and Evaluation, Office of Human Services Policy, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

## REVIEW CIA'S COMPENSATION REFORM INITIATIVE

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence:* Subcommittee on Human Intelligence, Analysis and Counterintelligence met in executive session to hold a hearing to Review CIA's Compensation Reform Initiative. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, MAY 19, 2004

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

### Senate

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* business meeting to mark up an original bill to reauthorize child nutrition programs, 10:30 a.m., SH-216.

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on District of Columbia, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2005 for the District of Columbia, 10 a.m., SD-138.

*Committee on Armed Services:* to resume hearings to examine allegations of mistreatment of Iraqi prisoners, 8:30 a.m., SH-216.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* to hold an oversight hearing to examine the International Monetary Fund and World Bank, 10 a.m., SD-538.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Subcommittee on Water and Power, to hold hearings to examine S. 900, to convey the Lower Yellowstone Irrigation Project, the Savage Unit of the Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, and the Intake Irrigation Project to the pertinent irrigation districts, S. 1876, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain lands and facilities of the Provo River Project, S. 1957, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to cooperate with the States on the border with Mexico and other appropriate entities in conducting a hydrogeologic characterization, mapping, and modeling program for priority transboundary aquifers, S. 2304 and H.R. 3209, bills to amend the Reclamation Project Authorization Act of 1972 to clarify the acreage for which the North Loup division is authorized to provide irrigation water under the Missouri River Basin project, S. 2243, to extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Alaska, H.R. 1648, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain water distribution systems of the Cachuma Project, California, to the Carpinteria Valley Water District and the Montecito Water District, and H.R. 1732, to amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the Williamson County, Texas, Water Recycling and Reuse Project, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Finance:* to hold oversight hearings to examine the Treasury Department and terrorism financing; to be followed by a hearing to examine the nominations of Juan Carlos Zarate, of California, to be Assistant Secretary for Terrorism Finance, and Stuart Levey, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary for Enforcement, both of the Department of the Treasury, and John O. Colvin, of Virginia, to be a Judge of the United States Tax Court, 10 a.m., SD-215.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* to continue hearings to examine the way ahead in Iraq, 9:30 a.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Indian Affairs:* business meeting to consider S.J. Res. 37, to acknowledge a long history of official depredations and ill-conceived policies by the United States Government regarding Indian Tribes and offer an apology to all Native Peoples on behalf of the United States, and S. 2277, to amend the Act of November 2, 1966 (80 Stat. 1112), to allow binding arbitration clauses to be included in all contracts affecting the land within the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Reservation, 10 a.m., SR-485.

*Special Committee on Aging:* to hold hearings to examine Health Savings Accounts and the New Medicare Law, focusing on the future of health care, 2:30 p.m., SD-628.

### House

*Committee on Agriculture,* hearing to review Agricultural Trade Negotiations, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

*Committee on Education and the Workforce,* to mark up H.R. 4278, Improving Access to Assistive Technology for Individuals with Disabilities Act of 2004, 10:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce,* Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality, hearing entitled "Regional Energy

Reliability and Security: DOE Authority to Energize the Cross Sound Cable,” 10 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet, hearing entitled “Competition in the Communications Marketplace: How Convergence Is Blurring the Lines Between Voice, Video, and Data Services,” 11 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

*Committee on Government Reform*, Subcommittee on Government Efficiency and Financial Management, to mark up H.R. 3826, Program Assessment and Results Act; followed by an oversight hearing entitled “Mission Impossible? Fixing NASA’s Financial Management,” 2 p.m., 2247 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Technology, Information Policy, Intergovernmental Relations and the Census, oversight hearing entitled “Federal Enterprise Architecture: A Blueprint for Improved Federal IT Investment and Cross-Agency Collaboration and Information Sharing,” 2 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

*Committee on International Relations*, hearing on Implementation of the Millennium Challenge Act, 10:30 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Europe, to mark up H. Res. 642, Providing for the establishment of a commission in the House of Representatives to assist parliaments in emerging democracies, 3 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

*Committee on Resources*, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 646, To Expand the boundaries of the Fort Donelson National Battlefield to authorize the acquisition and interpretation of lands associated with the campaign that resulted in the capture of the fort in 1862; H.R. 1156, To amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to increase the ceiling on the Federal share of the costs of phase I of the Orange County, California, Regional Water Reclamation Project; H.R. 2619, Kilauea Point National Wildlife Refuge Expansion Act of 2003; H.R. 2831, Newlands Project Headquarters and Maintenance Yard Facility Transfer Act; H.R. 2909, Utah Test and Training Range Protection Act; H.R. 3785, To authorize the exchange of certain land in Everglades Park; H.R. 4115, To amend the Act of November 2, 1966 (80 Stat. 1112), to allow binding arbitration clauses to be included in all contracts affecting the land within the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Reservation; H.R. 4158, To provide for the conveyance to the Government of Mexico of a decommissioned National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration ship; H.R. 4362, To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to accept a parcel of Federal land in the State of

Washington in trust for the Nisqually Tribe, to ensure that the acceptance of such land does not adversely affect the Bonneville Power Administration; S. 144, Noxious Weed Control Act of 2003; and S. 1146, Three Affiliated Tribes Health Facility Compensation Act, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

*Committee on Science*, Subcommittee on Energy, hearing entitled “The Impact of Federal Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy R&D Programs,” 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Environment, Technology, and Standards, hearing entitled “Homeland Security Research and Development at the EPA: Taking Stock and Looking Ahead,” 2 p.m., 2318 Rayburn.

*Committee on Small Business*, hearing entitled “Red Tape Reduction: Improving the Competitiveness of America’s Small Manufacturers,” 2 p.m., 2360 Rayburn.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, Subcommittee on Aviation, oversight hearing on The Use of Biometrics to Improve Aviation Security, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

*Committee on Veterans’ Affairs*, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 4231, amended, Department of Veterans Affairs Nurse Recruitment and Retention Act of 2004; H.R. 3936, To amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the principal office of the United States Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims to be at any location in the Washington, D.C., metropolitan area, rather than only in the District of Columbia, and expressing the sense of Congress that a dedicated Veterans Courthouse and Justice Center should be provided for that Court and those it serves and should be located, if feasible, at a site owned by the United States that is part of or proximate to the Pentagon Reservation; H.R. 4345, To amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the maximum amount of home loan guaranty available under the home loan guaranty program of the Department of Veterans Affairs; H.R. 1716, amended, Veterans Earn and Learn Act of 2004; and H.R. 4175, amended, Veterans’ Compensation Cost-of-Living Adjustment Act of 2004, 2 p.m., 334 Cannon.

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on the Department of Veterans’ role in the development of interoperable electronic-medical records systems in the Federal Government, 10 a.m., 334 Cannon.

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence*, executive, to consider pending meeting, 1:45 p.m., executive, Briefing on Department of Defense Intelligence Reform Initiative (DoD HUMINT Reform), 2 p.m., H-405 Capitol.